

TRADE BOARD WILL PRESS MEAT SUITS

Palmer's Compromise With "Big Five" Packers Not to Halt Clayton Act Cases.

Compromise of the Department of Justice's case against the "Big Five" meat packers, whereby they agree to abandon trade in certain side lines within two years, affects only violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. It was learned today. The Federal Trade Commission is ready to proceed against the packers for more than forty alleged violations of the Clayton anti-trust act.

Under the Sherman law, it is proper that criminal prosecutions shall be instituted by the Department of Justice. It is these prosecutions that have been compromised.

Under the Clayton law, it is proper that civil actions for dissolution of alleged trusts shall be instituted by the Federal Trade Commission. These prosecutions have not been compromised.

Can Order Dissolution
Section Seven of the Clayton law empowers the commission to investigate unfair and unlawful methods of competition and to try the offenders before a court composed of members of the commission, which has power to order the defendants to "cease and desist" from the violation. Enforcement of this order can be obtained through the Federal courts providing the judge approves the legality of commission's finding. Under this law the commission can order a trust dissolved, but of course if the trust fights, the case eventually gets into the Federal court.

That the commission means to drive right ahead, regardless of the Justice Department's action, is indicated by a paragraph in a letter sent to President Wilson by Commissioners Murdock, Thompson and Colver within an hour of Attorney General Palmer's announcement that he had made an agreement with the packers.

Text of Paragraph.
"We should say to you that in this examination of the alleged meat trust the commission has brought out certain facts having to do with the laws, the administration of which it is particularly charged. In a number of these matters formal proceedings already have been instituted. In others, formal proceedings are in process of formation. These things the commission will carry forward in due course and in the orderly prosecution of the work."

Hearings in February.
The facts the commission refers to are the papers and evidence gathered for use against the "Big Five." These contained proof of alleged violation of the Sherman and Clayton acts. Evidence showing violation of the Sherman law was turned over to Palmer and that showing violation of the Clayton act was taken up by the commission.

The formal proceedings in process of formation, the commission refers to are twenty cases now pending before it. Hearings of several of the cases already instituted were scheduled to start January 12, but it is not expected they will get under way until some time in February.

WAR RISK BILL PASSED.
The House late yesterday passed the Sweet war risk insurance bill granting soldiers \$50 per month additional war risk compensation, and amended war risk insurance provisions so that optional payment may be made to beneficiaries. The additional compensation will cost the Government approximately \$80,000,000 next year.

The urgency deficiency bill which was increased by the Senate from \$3,119,000 to \$33,000,000 was also passed by the House.



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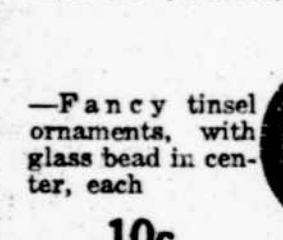
Christmas Trees and Tree Decorations and Many Toys To Hasten For Tomorrow



—Six pointed star, of bright silver tinsel, and colored center, each... **19c**



—Silver tinsel garland, with small star pendants, each... **10c**



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21 in.	19c	39 in.	\$1.00
26 in.	25c	41 in.	\$1.45
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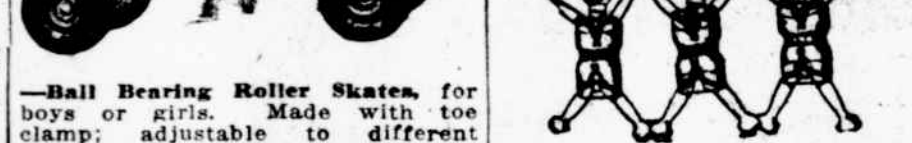
CHRISTMAS TREE HOLDERS

—metal holder for 2 1/2 inch tree, each... **35c**
Tree holder of iron with adjustable screws, for different sized trees. These will hold water to keep the tree fresh and green, each... **\$1.00**

—Sheet metal Christmas tree pan, adjustable to different sized trees. These are non-slipable, and will keep the tree moist and green; 14-in. size, at... **\$1.25**
—Christmas tree balls, in red, green and silver, each... **5c and 15c**
—One lot priced, a dozen, **\$1.00**.
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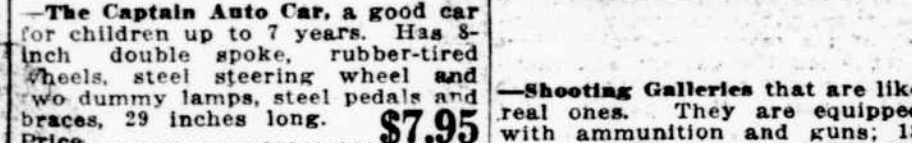
—Ball Bearing Roller Skates, for boys or girls. Made with toe clamp; adjustable to different sizes; have the rubber cushion. At... **\$2.45**



—Jackie Acrobat, a new game for children; 1,000 combinations can be made. **\$1.25**



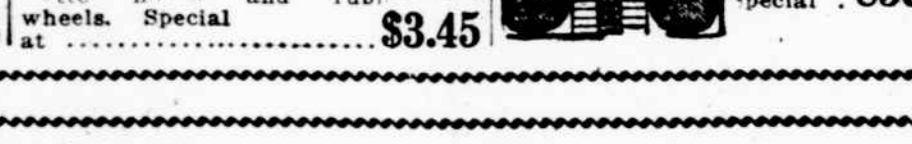
—Shooting Galleries that are like real ones. They are equipped with ammunition and guns; 18 inches tall, 21 inches long. Price... **\$3.95**



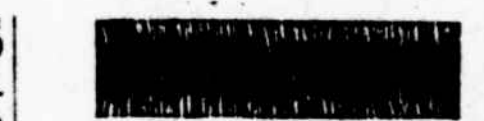
—The Captain Auto Car, a good car for children up to 7 years. Has 8-inch double spoke, rubber-tired wheels, steel steering wheel and two dummy lamps, steel pedals and braces, 29 inches long. Price... **\$7.95**



—Paracheed, cloth-covered boards, size 16x16 in., with 4 dice, 16 buttons and book of rules. A family or party game, popular with young and old. Special... **85c**



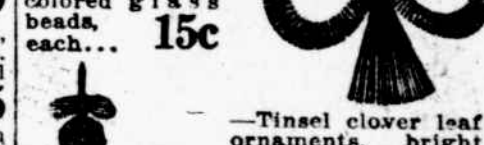
—Struto Auto Builders and Tractors. These builder outfits are new in toyland. Can build real automobile with engine from Struto steering gear, transmission, differential gear. Priced from... **\$5.00 to \$12.00**



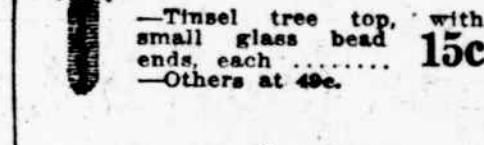
—Silver tinsel—30c and 22c
—Silver tinsel for decorating small trees, a bunch... **15c**



—Silver tinsel butterfly, with colored glass beads, each... **15c**



—Tinsel clover leaf ornaments, bright silver color with green, silver, gold or blue glass ball center, each... **10c**



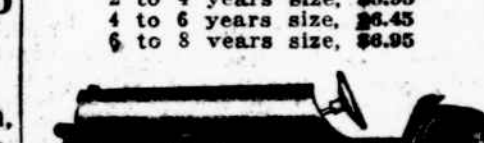
—Tinsel tree top, with small glass beads, each... **15c**
—Others at 49c.



—Doll's Tea Set in many styles and patterns, china or aluminum. Priced... **15c to \$6.45**



—Boys' Velocipede, all-steel frame and rubber-tired wheels; adjustable leather seat and handle bars. 2 to 4 years size, **\$5.95**
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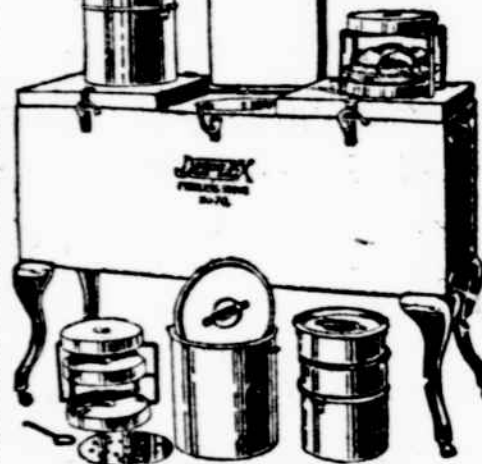
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—Women's "Radmoor" Pure Silk Hose, full regular made; high spliced heels; double soles, deep garter tops; in black and white. At **\$2.25, \$2.50, \$3.50**

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—Solid Chocolate Apples, wrapped in colored foil, each... **35c**
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